

Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Siouxland Libraries is celebrating its 125th anniversary of providing library service to the citizens of Sioux Falls; and,

Whereas, The Sioux Falls Library Association was founded in 1886; and,

Whereas, Siouxland Libraries was formed with the merger of the Sioux Falls Public Library and the Minnehaha County Rural Public Library in 1995; and,

Whereas, Siouxland Libraries encompasses four locations within Sioux Falls and eight locations in the surrounding communities of Baltic, Brandon, Colton, Crooks, Garretson, Hartford, Humboldt, and Valley Springs; and,

Whereas, This library system has identified and met the informational, educational, recreational, and cultural needs of multiple generations; and,

Whereas, Today, the library offers its rich, varied resources to individuals and groups within its service area and beyond; and,

Whereas, Siouxland Libraries will continue to adapt to meet the needs of its growing community now, and in the future:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim September 17, 2011, as

SIOUXLAND LIBRARIES DAY

in South Dakota.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-third Day of August in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eleven.

Dennis Daugaard
Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Jason M. Gant
Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State